

5. Edmund's Brothers and Sisters

A. Descendants of William Ingram

Chapter 2 included a brief discussion of Edmund's brothers and sisters. This chapter provides additional details about their families and where they lived. Exhibit 5-1 lists descendants of Edmund's father, **William Ingram**. Edmund's descendants will be discussed in detail in later chapters. Much of the information in this chapter relies on Almaraz (2011). Some marriage information is from *Butt's County Marriages* (1997).

Exhibit 5-1. Descendants of William Ingram

William (before 1768-1807) + Mary (?-?)

- (1) Agnes (abt 1794-?) born Jefferson Co, GA
- (2) Jean (abt 1796-?) born Jefferson Co, GA
- (3) Edmund (1796-1869) born Burke (Jefferson) Co, GA, buried in Shiloh Cemetery, Clay Co, AL
- (4) John Spires (abt 1799-1843) born in North Carolina, died in Henry Co, GA, most children died in Butts Co, GA + Mary Nancy Jinks (1804-1862) married Apr 1830 in Butts Co, GA, appeared in 1850, 1860 Census, appeared in 1821 Land Lottery
 - (a) William Burwell (1831-1899) born in Monroe Co, GA, died in Henry Co, GA + (1) Mary Ann Buford (1832-1873) married June 19, 1854 + (2) Mary M. Eiden, married Jan 22, 1874
 - (i) Thomas Jefferson (1855-1923) born Butts Co, GA, Bethany Cemetery, Henry Co, GA + Mary Susan Burford (1854-1908)
 - (ii) John Henry (1858-?) born Butts Co, GA + Fannie Hay (?-?)
 - (iii) William Burrell Jarett (1860-1940) Bethany or City Cemetery, Henry Co, GA + Amma Alice Hooten (1870-1907) New Hope Methodist Cemetery, Henry Co, GA & + Macie Wise (1874-1940)
 - (iv) Minnie (1863-?)
 - (v) Nancy (1863-?)
 - (vi) Joshua (1866-?)
 - (vii) James Madison (1868-?) Baptist Church Cemetery, Jenkinsburg, Butts Co, GA + Jackie (?-?) & Nora Gideons (1871-?)
 - (viii) Annie (1870-?)
 - (b) John Spiers, Jr (1832-1876) born in Monroe Co, GA, died in Quitman, Wood Co, TX, Ingram Cemetery + Julia Ann Narsissa Jinks (1834-1900) born Butts Co, GA, died Wood Co, TX
 - (i) John Gales (1852-1854) Bibb Co, GA
 - (ii) Burrel Jefferson (1854-?)
 - (iii) William Frederick (1856-1941) Clover Hill Cemetery, Wood Co, TX + Eliza Ann Gilland (?-?)
 - (iv) James Carroll (1858-1901) born and died Wood Co, TX, Ingram Cemetery + Elmira Elizabeth Marrow (1870-1901)
 - (v) John Henry (1860-1938) Ingram Cemetery, Wood Co, TX

- + Catherine Uphama Price (1875-1901) & Rosa Belle Price (1877-1906) & Martha Gilbreath (1880-1963)
- (vi) Ruth Ann [Bridges & Jennings] (1866-1947) Wood Co, TX
- (vii) Julia (1871-1871)
- (viii) Noram (1872-1872)
- (ix) Mary Arabell [Baker] (1874-1930) Wood Co, TX
- (c) Nancy Elizabeth [Burford] (1832-1891) born in Monroe Co, GA, died Butts Co, GA + Samuel H. Burford, married Oct 12, 1848
- (d) Eliza Ann [Williamson] (1834-1862) Macedonia Cemetery, Butts Co, GA + Thomas J. Williamson, married Dec 23, 1852
- (e) Mary Jane [Andrews] (1836-?) Butts Co, GA + Allen M. Andrews, married Feb 8, 1855
- (f) Martha Susan [Jinks] (1838-1897) Butts Co, GA, Old Bethel Cemetery + Burel Jinks, married Dec 14, 1858
- (g) James Madison (1842-1915) Butts Co, GA, Oak Hill Cemetery, Spalding Co, GA + Susannah Peak Burford (1844-1903) Butts Co, GA, married Dec 20, 1865
 - (i) John Samuel Merritt McGruder (1867-1933) + Lucy McClure (1872-1928) Jenkinsburg, GA
 - (ii) James Benalmen Zakolof Tolipek (1869-1948) Oak Hill Cemetery, Griffin, Spalding Co, GA + Lennie Star Carter (1871-1955)
 - (iii) Barialoria (1870-?)
 - (iv) Nancy Ida May [Allen] (1872-1910) Oak Hill Cemetery, Griffin, GA
 - (v) Carrie Estell (1875-1914) [Arie Ingram (1873-1946)] Oak Hill Cemetery, Griffin, GA
 - (vi) Annie Cleo Patra [Allen] (1877-1963) Oak Hill Cemetery, Griffin, GA
 - (vii) Joseph Emerson Brown (1880-1952) Oak Hill Cemetery, Griffin, GA + Mary Will Graddy (1879-1973)
 - (ix) Elizabeth Naomi [King] (1883-1933) Oak Hill Cemetery, Griffin Co, GA
- (5) Josiah (abt 1800-?) + Delphia Gardner (1807-?) married Apr 12, 1848, her second marriage, appears in land lottery 1821 Monroe Co, GA, 1850 Census Pike Co, GA
 - (a) Mary A. G. [Stewart] (1835-?) stepdaughter from wife's first marriage
 - (b) Delphia S. (1844-?)

[Josiah married Delphia Gardner Jones. Delphia was sister to Jane Gardner who was William's (his brother) first wife. Josiah and Delpha moved to Mississippi with her brother Frederick Gardner and others. All of this information is in the Monroe Co Family History Book. (Private correspondence from Lorrie Burns)]
- (6) William (1804-1885) born Jefferson Co, GA, died Monroe Co, GA Ingram Family Cemetery, Johnsonville, Lamar Co, GA, appears in 1860 and 1880 Census Monroe Co, GA + Jane Gardner (1805-1846) died Monroe Co, GA & Jane Gamell (1819-1891) Ingram Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA
 - (a) Elizabeth P. [Williamson] (1832-1863) died Butts Co, GA
 - (b) John Gardner (1833-?) died Monroe Co, GA, appears in 1860 and 1880 Census, Monroe Co, GA + Mary Francis Simmons (1835-?)
 - (i) William (1858-?) born Monroe Co, GA

- (ii) John (1859-1902) Rocky Creek Baptist Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA
 - (iii) Elizabeth (1864-?)
 - (iv) Mary L. (1866-?)
 - (v) Wright (1868-?)
 - (vi) Joseph W. (1868-1949) Zebulon Rd Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA
 - (vii) Samuel (1875-?)
 - (c) Mary Ann [Sikes] (1836-?)
 - (d) Joseph Franklin (1836-1901) 1860 and 1880 Census, Monroe Co, GA,
+ Burnetta W. Haywood (1836-1915), Ramah Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA
 - (i) Willis (abt 1860-?)
 - (ii) Josephine F. [(1) Sullivan & (2) Maddox] (1863-1952)
 - (iii) Walter V. (1867-?) + Sarah F. Vellner (?-?)
 - (iv) Annie Leila [Parhan] (1875-1921) Ramah Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA
 - (e) Samuel C. (1839-1864) 1860 Census, Monroe Co, GA, Civil War records
 - (f) William James (1840-?) 1880 Census, Upson, GA, 1900 Census Houston, GA
+ Nancy T. Haygood (?-?)
 - (i) Frances (?-?)
 - (ii) Annie E. (?-?)
 - (iii) John Thomas (?-?)
 - (iv) Berenice Eulalia (?-?)
+ Brunetta Elizabeth Haygood (1852-1945) buried Perry, GA
 - (v) Alley Francis (?-?)
 - (vi) William Eldridge (1878-1958) born Monroe Co, died Perry, GA
+ Ethel Annie Prator (1886-1905) died Ft Valley, GA
 - (vii) Zachariah Talliner (?-?)
 - (viii) James Carlton (?-?)
 - (ix) Mary Ethel (?-?)
 - (x) Joseph Franklin (1891-?) + Evelyn Jones (?-?)
 - (g) Sarah T. (Sarinet) (1841-?) Monroe Co, GA
 - (h) Susan (1845-?) 1860 Census, Monroe Co, GA
+ Jane Gamble (1821-1891) died Monroe Co, GA
 - (i) Frances [Bence] (1847-?) 1860 Census, Monroe Co, GA
 - (j) James (1848-?)
 - (k) Jane (1848-?)
 - (l) Thomas E. (1852-1933) Ingram Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA
 - (m) Martha Jane [Maddox] (1853-1941) Ingram Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA
+ Columbus Maddox (1849-1912) Ingram Cemetery
 - (n) Mary Nannie (Nancy) [Dynes] (1855-1936) Ingram Cemetery, Monroe Co
 - (o) Andrew Jackson (1857-1923) 1860 and 1880 Census, Shiloh Cemetery,
Monroe Co, GA + Nannie K. Faulkner (1864-1923) Shiloh Cemetery
 - (i) Hilton F. (1895-1914) Shiloh Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA
 - (ii) Fannie Kate [Johnson] (1897-1958) Johnson Cemetery, Monroe Co
 - (p) Benjamin (1845-1907) Ingram Cemetery, Monroe Co, GA + Sally English
 - (i) Omar (?-?)
 - (7) Elizabeth (before 1807-?) mentioned in William's will.
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B. Settlement in Georgia

Most of William's children settled in Monroe, Henry, Pike and Butts Counties in Georgia. They appear in these counties beginning in the 1820s. One of William's children, Josiah, received land in the 1821 Land Lottery in Monroe County (see Exhibit 5-2). The John Ingram from Jefferson County who received land in Henry County may have been John Spires. Butts County was formed in 1825 from parts of Henry and Monroe Counties. Josiah and John Spires both settled in these counties.

Exhibit 5-2. Ingrams Receiving Land in the 1821 Land Lottery

Name	County	Mil. Dist	Lot	Sect	Drew Land
Ingram, James L.	Jefferson	Flemings	59	16	Houston
Ingram, James	Jefferson	Flemings	215	15	Dooly
Ingram, John Sr.	Hall	Cotters	63	11	Monroe
Ingram, John (Orps)	Jefferson	Dodds	179	17	Henry
Ingram, John	Hall	Cotters	62	16	Houston
Ingram, John	Hancock	Claytons	187	2	Monroe
Ingram, John	Jefferson	Dodds	225	5	Henry
Ingram, Josiah	Jefferson	Whighams	12	6	Monroe
Ingram, Little	Hall	Carnes	8	3	Dooly
Ingram, Moses	Hancock	Claytons	118	4	Monroe
Ingram, Tilman	Hall	Carnes	44	6	Houston
Ingram, Wm. (Orps)	Jefferson	Whighams	116	17	Henry

Source: files.usgwarchives.net/ga/deeds/1821/1821hj.txt

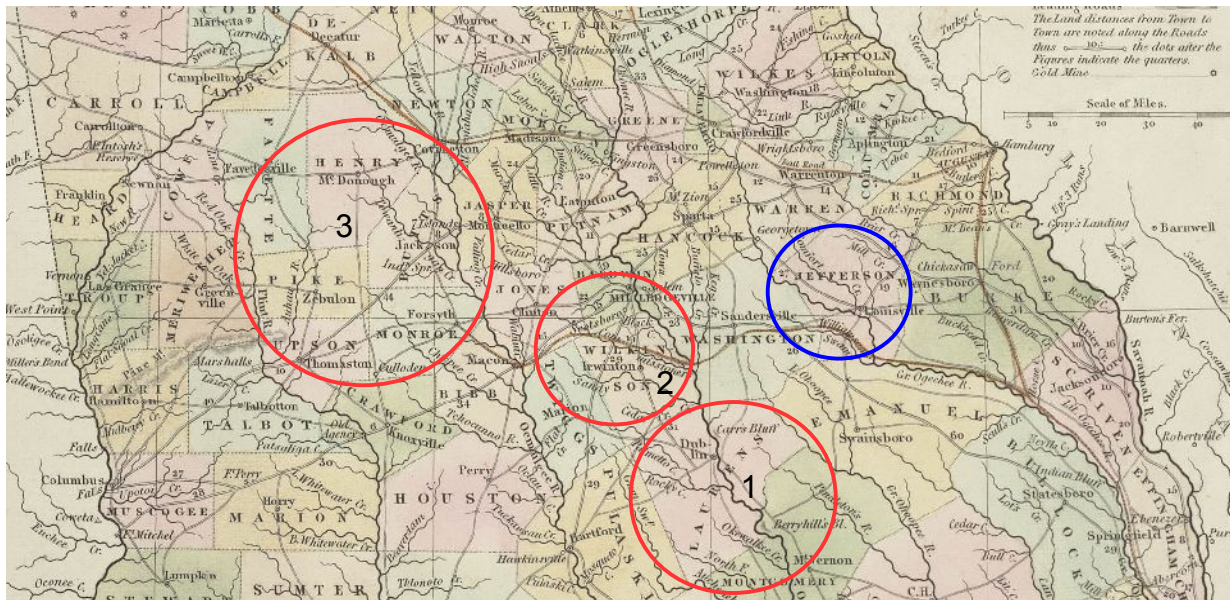
William's son **William** is listed in *Monroe County, Georgia: a History* (1979). His will mentions Delpha, Elizabeth, John, Joseph, Samuel, and Susan (p. 501). Joseph F. Ingram is buried in the Haygood, Stroud, Thompson, Zellner Cemetery. He was in Co B 45th GA Infantry, CSA (Lloyd, 1997, p. 44). Those buried at Ingram Cemetery on Ingram Road near the Lamar-Monroe County line are William, his second wife Jane, Benjamin, Thomas E., Sarah E., Nancie Dynes, Columbus Maddox, and Martha Jane Maddox Ingram (p. 55). Hilton F. Ingram, Andrew Jackson Ingram, and Nannie K. Faulkner Ingram are buried at Shiloh Baptist Church in Monroe County (p. 143).

Within two generations from the arrival in Savannah in 1768, most of John Ingram's children and their families had settled in central Georgia, where most stayed for at least the next few generations. As we saw previously, several of David's children moved to Texas in the mid 1800s, as did William's grandson, John Spires, Jr. William's son, Josiah, moved to Mississippi with family members later in his life. Exhibit 5-3 identifies the areas in central Georgia where most of the Ingram family settled.

The only other migration from Georgia during the mid 1800s was the movement of Edmund to Clay County, Alabama. Given the information considered previously about Edmund, it is evident that his movement west was prompted by a search for land. He apparently moved with others in his family as new land became available. However, unlike several of his relatives, he did not receive land in the Georgia Land Lotteries. With the eventual opening of eastern Alabama for white settlement in the 1830s, Edmund finally found available land. We will return to his story in the next chapter.

Exhibit 5-3. Map of Central Georgia showing Ingram Settlements

- 1 Children of John Ingram, Laurens County
- 2 Children of David Ingram, Wilkinson County
- 3 Children of William Ingram, Butts, Henry, Pike, Monroe Counties



C. John Spires Ingram

John Spires Ingram, son of William, was born February 1, 1799 according to his Bible. During the 1820s, John Spires moved to Monroe County, Georgia. Monroe County was created from lands acquired from Indians in the Treaty of Indian Springs in 1821. Butts County was created from Monroe and Henry counties in 1825. In September 1827, John Spires sold land (District 6, Lot 12) in Monroe County to his brother William (Almaraz, p. 43). This land was won in the 1821 Land Lottery by Josiah Ingram and, presumably, was given or sold by Josiah to John Spires. [It may have been land won by John Spires.] In 1829, he bought 100 acres from Josiah Ingram (Almaraz, p. 43).

John Spires married **Mary Nancy Jinks**, widow of Daniel Warlick, on April 30, 1830 in Butts County. She had a son from her first marriage, Jefferson Warlick. The marriage certificate for John Spires and Nancy is on file in the Butts County courthouse. They lived on part of the land won in the 1821 Lottery, where in 1831, their first son, **William Burwell**, was born. He was named for John Spires's father, William, and for Nancy Jinks's father, Burwell Jinks. In 1832, **John Spires, Jr.** and **Nancy Elizabeth** (twins) were born. In 1832, John Spires purchased land (District 1, Lot 211) on Wolf Creek in Henry County. This land was situated across the county line from Burwell Jinks in Butts County and near land won by William Ingram in the 1807 Land Lottery (Almaraz, p. 43).

In 1832 John Spires won land in the Cherokee Land Lottery (Berry District, Number 79, District 5, Lot 2, files.usgarchives.net/ga/deeds/1832/sec2ld4.txt). In January of 1832, he purchased two slaves from Spencer Crain in Jasper County. Crain had perviously purchased land

from Mary, Edmund, and Josiah in 1823 (Almaraz, p. 43, cites Butts County Court of Ordinary, p. 93). He was included in the tax rolls and voter registration rolls of Henry County in 1833. His four youngest children were born in Henry County.

John Spires died on July 4, 1843 according to his family Bible. [According to Almaraz, the Bible is still in the possession of his descendants.] His burial place is unknown but could be in Old Bethel Cemetery in Butts County. A copy of his will, probated in Butts and Henry Counties, appears in Exhibit 5-4.

Exhibit 5-4. Will of John Spires Ingram (original wording)

In the Name of the Almighty God, Amen

I, John S Ingram being weak in body but of sound disposing mind and memory do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say; 1st I bequeath my soul to the God who gave it under the hope of a blessed immortality beyond the grave through the merits of the Lord Jesus Christ and that my body be buried in a plain and decent manner.

Item 2nd I desire that after the making of my present crop, my plantation and the following slaves, to wit, Dave and Lucy, together with the surplus crop and such other articles of a perishable nature as can best be spared, shall be sold on such terms as my executors shall deem best, and out of the proceeds together with the hiring of slaves and the collection of debts due me and all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid, that such of my slaves as can best be spared be hired out for the next year, and my executors as they choose may postpone the sale of the land until the next year or until such time as they may deem expedient. After paying off my debts and funeral expenses and expenses of administration, I desire that the surplus fund in the hand be laid out to the best advantage by my executors in the purchase of a suitable residence and plantation for the support of my wife and children.

Item 3rd I bequeath to my **wife's eldest son Jefferson Warlick**, when he comes of age in such property as my wife may think proper and the most suitable, the value of fifty dollars.

Item 4th I bequeath and devise the whole residue of my estate of every nature and kind, together with the increase and such estate as may be purchased as above directed, to be managed and worked for the use and support of my beloved **wife, Nancy Ingram** and my **children, William Burwell Ingram, John Spires Ingram, Nancy Elizabeth Ingram, Eliza Ann Ingram, Martha Susan Ingram, and James Madison Ingram**, and such other child or children that my wife may have a competent time after my death. That is to say for the maintenance and support of my wife and said children, and for the education of said children. I desire that as my children may respectively arrive at the age of 21 or marry, such portion may be delivered to each as can best be spared, or as may best suit them in the opinion of my executors at a fair valuation and with a view to an equal division when a final distribution shall take place. I appoint my wife guardian to her children during her widowhood.

Item 5th After accomplishing the foregoing objects, I bequeath and devise my whole estate to my wife and children. That is to say to my wife during her life and to my children forever, share and share alike. But should my wife marry again, then in that event I desire that a fair and equal division of my estate be made between my wife and children, share and share alike, and that my wife shall enjoy her part during her life, and at her death, remainder to children, share and share alike forever.

Lastly I constitute and appoint my wife Nancy Ingram, John Greer and James Stark, executors, and this my last will and testament. Signed, sealed and published and delivered for as the last will and testament of John Spires Ingram in presence of us who at his request and in his

presence have attested the date execution thereof entered before signed. John S. Ingram 28 June 1843. Recorded 25th November 1843, Henry Co, GA.

A list of appraised property at December 19, 1843 valued at \$6,008.50 (worth about \$140,000 in 2010) is provided in Almaraz (p. 46-47). Included in the property were 14 slaves, each valued at \$100 to \$600 for a total of \$4,200. The 160 acres of land where the deceased lived was valued at \$475.

In the 1850 Census, Nancy Ingram, age 44, is listed as living in Butts County, GA with six children: Nancy (age 44), W. B. (19), John S. (17), Eliza H. (15), Mary J. (13), Martha S. (11), and James M. (9).

Information about the descendants of John Spires Ingram is provided by Almaraz. His sons fought for the Confederacy during the Civil War, William Burwell and James Madison in Georgia and John Spires, Jr. in Texas. Almaraz also indicates that John Spire's family was Baptist and very religious. An insert in Stultz added after the book was published indicates that John Spiers, Jr. left Locust Grove, GA in 1859 or 1860 for Rusk, TX and later moved to Wood County, TX.

The 1880 Census for Butts County, GA provides information for John Spier's son **William B. Ingram**. It is interesting primarily because of the inclusion of a black servant shown to be 117 years old: William B. (age 49), Mary M. (40), John H. (22), William B. (20), Minnie (17), James (15), Annie (10), James (117, black servant born 1763), Clarisa (69, black servant).

D. Josiah Ingram

Josiah Ingram was born about 1800 in Jefferson County, GA. His date of birth is based on the 1840 Census in Monroe County, where he lived at that time. The family remained on land owned by his father until 1821. In that year, Josiah sold his share of the property that his father won in the 1807 Land Lottery; see Exhibit 5-5. Edmond Ingram witnessed the sale. (Much of the information about Josiah was provided originally by his descendant Lorrie Burns.)

Exhibit 5-5. Sale of Land by Josiah Ingram

This indenture made the seventh day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty one and in the forty-fifth year of the Independence of the United States of America, between Josiah Ingram of the County of Jefferson of the one part and Spencer Crain of the County of Jasper of the other part. Witnessed that the said Josiah Ingram for and in consideration of the sum of Eighty three Dollars in hand—paid at and upon the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath granted, bargained, sold, aligned, conveyed and confirmed, by the property do grant bargain, sell, alien, convey and confirm unto the said Spencer Crain, his heirs and assigns, all that tract or parcel of land situated lying or being in the state aforesaid and County of formerly Baldwin, now Jasper and in the thirteenth district and lying on the waters of Wolf Creek, known and designated by part of Lot one hundred and seventy four. Josiah Ingram heir to his part of this lot of land drawn by William Ingram, deceased and the said part estimated at twenty two and a half acres. In the same life to have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land together with all and singular the rights, members and appurtenance thereof whatsoever to the said land, being, belonging or in anywise appertaining with the remainder or remaining revision and revisions, just issued and profits

thereof to the only proper use, benefit and behoof of him, the said Spencer Crain, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns in fee simple and the said Josiah Ingram, his heirs, executors and administrators, the said bargained land and appurtenance unto the said Spencer Crain... Recorded May 6, 1823 (Almaraz, p. 35, cites *Jasper County Land Records*).

Josiah drew land in the 1821 Land Lottery in the Johnstonville District of Monroe County. He is listed in 1822 as owning 202 ½ acres in Monroe County (Crumpton, 2003). In 1829, Josiah sold land in Monroe County to his brother John S. In exchange for \$150, he sold 100 acres, being one-half of lot 12 in the sixth district (Almaraz, p. 35, cites *Monroe County Deed Book F*, p. 111).

Josiah also sold land to his brother William (Almaraz, p. 36, cites *Monroe County Deed Book J*, p. 64 and *Deed Book L*, p. 527). He is listed in the 1840 Census in Monroe County. He married Delphia Gardner Jones sometime during the 1840s.

The 1850 Census lists Josiah and his family: Josiah (age 50), Delphia (43), Mary A. G. (14), and Delphia S. (6). His property was valued in the 1850 census at \$550.

The 1860 Census lists Josiah and his family in Pike County, Georgia, which was formed from part of Monroe County. Josiah's daughter, Mary, married Francis Marion Stewart. Josiah's family moved to Mississippi along with relatives prior to 1870 (Almaraz, p. 37). In the 1870 Census, Josiah is listed in Hinds County, MS, living alone next to F.M. Stewart, age 38, his wife Mary A., age 34 and their children. Apparently, he died in the 1870s and was buried in Mississippi.

E. William Ingram

According to the 1860 Census for Monroe County, **William** was born January 5, 1804 in Jefferson County. The 1870 Census for Monroe County lists: Wm (age 66), Jane (50), Sarah T. (21), Thomas E. (18), Martha (16), Nancy (15), Andrew (13), Benjamin (11), and James Thomas (18). He is also listed in the 1880 Census in Monroe County: William (76), Jane (60), Thomas E. (27), Nannie (23), William (21), and Benjamin (20).

William married **Jane Gardner** in about 1831. She died in 1846, and he married **Jane Gamell**. They are buried in the Ingram Cemetery near the Monroe-Lamar County line (Almaraz, p. 38, cites *History of Monroe County*, Appendix J, p. 675). Those buried in the cemetery are William Ingram, his second wife, Jane, and children: Benjamin, Thomas E., Nancy Ingram Dynes, and Martha J. Ingram Maddox.

In 1837, William purchased part of lot 12, sixth district in Monroe County from Josiah for \$12. The lot is described as “commencing at the center of said lot and running due north one hundred and eighty yards or thirty three rods, thence due west fifteen rods (82 yds.), thence south thirty three rods, thence fifteen rods due east” (Almaraz, p. 38, cites *Monroe County land deeds*). The area amounts to a little over three acres.

Information about the descendants of William Ingram is provided by Almaraz.

F. Agnes, Jean and Elizabeth Ingram

We have no information about Edmund's sisters, **Agnes, Jean and Elizabeth**, other than their mention in the will of their father, William. Almaraz (p. 36) refers to the marriage of Elizabeth Ingram to John Harp in Monroe County in 1832. It is not clear that this Elizabeth Ingram was Edmund's sister. No additional information is provided.